

DOES THE *Christian* GOD EXIST?

DEBATE: UNCG Atheist, Agnostic & Skeptics and
Shepherd's Fellowship Sovereign Grace Baptist
Thursday Evening, 09/02/2010 7-9PM
UNCG Graham 212

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Mr. Phillip Drum

An Undergraduate Student at UNCG, Founder & President of "UNCG Atheists, Agnostics, and Skeptics" in 2009. He has proudly served our country for six years in the United States Army Infantry.

<http://www.uncg.edu/student.groups/atheists/main.html>

Pastor Dustin S. Segers

A husband, father, and Pastor-Teacher at Shepherd's Fellowship of Greensboro. He holds an associate's degree in physical therapy, a bachelor's degree in Sports Medicine, and a Masters in Bible Exposition and contributor to the apologetics blog "Triablogue".

Mr. Sye Tenbruggencate

Christian Apologist, Evangelist and accomplished debater, blogger and who authored and supports the site;

www.proofthatgodexists.org.

<http://www.graceinthetriad.com>

Debate participants have agreed to the following terms for the debate:
Participants will conduct a “Collegiate” Debate using a modified Oxford Debate Schedule. They will respectfully request that the audience remain seated and in good order including conforming to the following;

Audience Rules: Quiet, please. No Applause until the end of debate. No Verbal outbursts. No Profanity. Moderator will warn those who are out of order one time. The debate will be stopped until the offender has been removed. *In the event of repeated interruptions, debate will be terminated.*

Audience participation and **Q&A session** will be structured Moderated Q&A wherein audience participants submit written questions that read in less than 30 seconds which can be directed to either or both of the Affirmative, or Negative answers.

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UNCG Debate Format (9-2-2010)

Introduction for both parties by moderator: 1 minute total.

Opening **affirmative**, 16 minutes.

Opening **negative** 16 minutes.

1st Cross-Exam: **Affirmative** questions negative, 8 minutes.

2nd Cross-Exam: **Negative** questions affirmative, 8 minutes.

Rebuttal **Affirmative**, 6 minutes.

Rebuttal **Negative**, 6 minutes.

5 minute break – A & N are given time to prepare their closing statements while audience submits written questions on 3x5 index card, bathroom break, etc.

Affirmative summation, 6 minutes.

Negative summation, 6 minutes.

Audience Questions, 20 minutes - Moderator alternates questions between A & N and identifies which team member (if any) is addressed.

Moderator **closing comments**, dismissal, and applause - 1 minute.